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FOLLOWING CHANGES IN TEXT TRANSMITTED REFTEL ARE

RECOMMENDED:

-- PARA. II, THIRD SENTENCE: "THE ABSENCE OF A
WRITTEN CONSTITUTION AND THE DOCTRINE OF PARLIAMENTARY
SOVEREIGNTY, NEVERTHELESS MEAN THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS
MAY BE TEMPORARILY ABRIDGED OR SUSPENDED BY ACT OF
PARLIAMENT."

-- PARA. II, FOURTH SENTENCE: "THERE ARE CURRENT-
LY TWO ACTS WHICH RESTRICT INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS:"

-- PARA. III, FIRST SENTENCE: "THE APPLICATION
OF THE TEMPORARY EMERGENCY PROVISIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE
IS SCRUPULOUSLY CONTROLLED AND CLOSELY WATCHED BY THE
MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT AND A FREE PRESS."

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